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CLOSED DEMAT ACCOUNTS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of demat accounts lying closed in the countr}` and the amount involved therein;

(b) the State-wise details thereof;

(c) whether information regarding PAN number has not being made available by such customers;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the number ot demat accounts released within a year and amount involved therein?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL)

(a) to (d): The details of accounts frozen on account of non-compliance with the PAN requirement as on March 8, 2008 are as under:

Depository	No. of frozen Accounts (In lakh)	Value of Securities in frozen Accounts (Rs. crore)
NSDL	15.25	51,750
CDSL	10,981	3.42

State wise details of the frozen accounts with Depositories are given m Annexure â€" A. (e) Tile details ot accounts unfrozen during V January 2007 and 8`1` March 2008 are as under:

Depository	No. of Accounts unfrozen (In lakh)	Value of Securities in unfrozen Accounts (Rs. crore)
NSDL	22.19	4,51,000
CDSL	2.65	1,52,916